

Year 1 Newsletter

A very warm welcome to Year 1. We hope you find the following information useful.

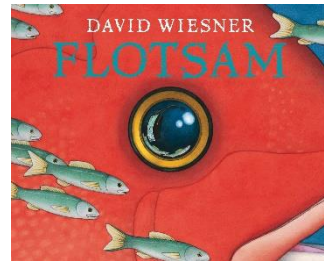
Maths



- This term, we will be focusing on Number: Multiplication & Division, Fractions, Place Value (within 100), Money and Time.

Our English lessons will focus on our Line of Enquiry 'Why is water precious?'

We will be taking a journey underwater to write fact files and letters about pollution and climate change.



Why is water precious?

During this Line of Enquiry, children will be investigating the water system and how precious water is to survive in the world. We will be going underwater to find out about ocean habitats, wildlife and the impact that humans have had on our oceans. Children will be given opportunities to find out about the different oceans of the world and the different species that can survive there. We will be going into survival mode by investigating how to filter water, learning about water safety and how to be more environmentally friendly.



When we return to school, PE will be on Monday afternoons and Wednesday mornings, please make sure your child has their PE kit in school on these days.

Whilst children are learning from home, we encourage children to stay active by joining in with Joe Wicks daily PE sessions at 9am

<https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLoFs-pW9hQxSEEHr4TZITZtv-0EFhV7ak>

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THANKS TO ALL OF YOU.



What can parents and carers do to support young readers?

Nova Primary 'Take 10 Challenge'

<p>Staff at Nova Primary pledge to take <i>at least</i> 10 minutes each day to read with your child.</p> <p>Signed:</p>	<p>I pledge to take 10 minutes each day to read my book.</p> <p>Signed:</p>	<p>Will you pledge to take 10 minutes each day to read with your children?</p> <p>Signed:</p>
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Please remember the Take 10 Challenge. All children now have a Nova Family Reading Record. Reading with your child for 10 minutes every day will make a big difference.

Please remember to practise reading and writing your key words every day.

Other useful information

Here are some websites that you may find helpful in supporting your child's learning at home:

<https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/>

<https://www.phonicsbloom.com/>

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/5-7-years/counting>

<https://trockstars.com/>

Please don't be afraid to come and talk to us or contact us with any questions. Whilst we are off school, you can email homelearning@novaprimarieschools.co.uk and please put FAO: Teacher's/ Child's name

Thank you in advance for your support. Let's make this year one a year to remember!

Miss Owen, Miss Lewis, Mrs Beer and Miss McSmythurs.